1 2 3 4 5 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 6 7 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 8 9 10 MARKHAM ROBINSON, in his capacity No. C 08-03836 WHA as Presidential Elector and 11 Chairperson-Elect of the American Independent Party, 12 **ORDER DENYING** Plaintiff, APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO 13 **INTERVENE** v. 14 SECRETARY OF STATE DEBRA 15 BOWEN, in her individual and official capacities, THE REPUBLIC NATIONAL 16 COMMITTEE, an organization form unknown, THE REPUBLICAN PARTY 17 OF CALIFORNIA, an organization, form unknown, SENATOR JOHN McCAIN, in 18 his individual and official capacities, DOES ONE through FIVE, inclusive, 19 Defendants. 20 21 Paul Andrew Mitchell filed an application for leave to intervene in this case and for a 22 writ in the nature of the nature of a prohibition. The court hereby **DENIES** the application. The 23 Court has entered an order dismissing this action and entered judgment in the case nearly three 24 weeks ago. 25 IT IS SO ORDERED. 26 27 Dated: October 3, 2008 28 WILLIAM ALSUP

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

United States District Court

For the Northern District of California